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Everyday People Doing Amazing Things – MCTS Excellence Showcases Going Above and Beyond

MILWAUKEE – Milwaukee County Executive Chris Abele is proud to proclaim the week of March $13^{th} - 19^{th}$, *MCTS Excellence Week*. The proclamation coincides with a special new website, <u>RideMCTS.com/Excellence</u>. Through pictures, videos and stories from riders, the website highlights the ways MCTS drivers, mechanics and other staff perform excellence every day.

View the proclamation below.

"Both as county executive and as a Milwaukeean who loves this community, I could not be more proud of the amazing things MCTS employees do every day. From finding lost children and helping passengers in distress to helping a rider get a pair of shoes or just an uplifting smile, MCTS employees truly perform excellence every day," said County Executive Chris Abele.

MCTS employees receive more than 700 commendations a year for their excellence. The new website, RideMCTS.com/Excellence, will be regularly updated with some of those stories. Riders and members of the public are invited to share their stories of MCTS Excellence by filing a commendation at RideMCTS.com.



EXECUTIVE PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Milwaukee County Transit System (MCTS) is one of the economic engines of the region, providing 150,000 rides a day to people to get to work, school, medical appointments and everywhere MCTS goes; and

 $\ensuremath{\mathcal{WHEREAS}}$, MCTS is made of up 1,100 dedicated and talented women and men from across the region; and

WHEREAS, MCTS employees are made up of all races, genders and religions; and

WHEREAS, everyday MCTS employees go above and beyond to provide exceptional and excellent service; and

WHEREAS, because of this excellent service, MCTS employees receive more than 700 commendations every year; and

WHEREAS, MCTS has set up a special webpage – RideMCTS.com/Excellence – to highlight these act of excellence; and

WHEREAS, some MCTS employees acts of excellence have gained local, national and international attention; and

WHEREAS, it is important to recognize these acts of excellence and honor them; now, therefore

I, CHRIS ABELE, County Executive of Milwaukee County, do recognize and proclaim the week of March 13, 2017 as

MCTS Excellence Week

throughout Milwaukee County and I thank all the drivers, mechanics and other staff at MCTS for their appreciation of and outstanding service to the Milwaukee community.

Chris Abele

Milwaukee County Executive

